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ALLARD ANNOUNCES COLORADO PROJECTS FUNDED IN APPROPRIATIONS BILL TOTAL SPENDING PACKAGE AMOUNTS TO \$397.4 BILLION

Washington, D.C. – U.S. Senator Wayne Allard (R-CO), a member of the Senate Budget Committee, today announced the approval of the 3000-page, \$397.4 billion spending package, the largest appropriations bill ever.

“The passage of this spending package will allow for funding for several important Colorado projects,” Allard said. “With the threat of a possible war in Iraq looming, this is an important bill for Congress to have passed.” Some of the highlighted appropriation approvals for the State of Colorado are \$18 million for the construction of a new CDC lab in Fort Collins; another \$18 million for Safeguard and Securities at the Rocky Flats site; \$12 million for the Sand Dunes National Park; \$2.5 million for the Beaver Brook Watershed Project; \$4 million for the Red Mountain Project; and Colorado producers will receive a portion of the \$3.1 billion in drought aid.

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